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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Docket No. 144-198

Anticipated Classification of this application:

Class \_\_\_\_\_ Subclass \_\_\_\_\_

Prior application:

Serial Number: 09/242,191

Examiner: Thao Tran

Art Unit: 1741

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(D)

I. This is a request for filing under the continued prosecution application procedure, 37 CFR 1.53(d), for a

☐ Continuation

☒ Divisional

☐ Continuing application to permit consideration of an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR 1.97.

Particulars of Prior Application

A. Application Serial No. 09/242,191, filed May 17, 1999

B. Title (as originally filed) Device for Generating Magnetic Fields for Catalyzing Physicochemical Reactions

C. Name of applicant (as originally filed and as last amended) and current correspondence address of applicant

Full Name of First Inventor: Michel Riera

Residence: Châteauneuf de Grasse, FRANCE

Citizenship: France

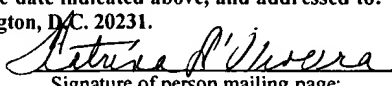
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The above identified application, in which no payment of issue fee, abandonment of (other than where the above-identified application was abandoned under 37 CFR 1.313(b)(5) to permit consideration of an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR 1.97), or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including drawings, as the basic papers for the new application.

## II. Inventorship Statement

(a) This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above and the inventor(s) in this application are

☒ the same

☐ less than those named in the prior application and it is requested that the following inventor(s) identified above for the prior application be deleted: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) The inventorship for all the claims in this application is

☒ the same

☐ not the same, and an explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, is submitted.

## III. Identification of Claims for Further Prosecution

☒ The fees to be charged are to be based on the number of claims remaining as a result of the

☐ attached preliminary amendment

☒ the unentered amendment filed under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior application, which is now repeated

☐ the claims as on file in the prior application

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## IV. Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16)

CLAIMS FOR FEE CALCULATION			
Number filed	Number	Extra Rate	Basic Filing Fee = \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	19-20=0	x \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	2-3=0	x \$ 84.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))		\$280.00	\$ 0.00

☐ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time.

Filing Fee Calculation

\$ 740.00

**V. Small Entity Statement**

- ☐ A statement that this is a filing by a small entity is attached.
- ☒ A Small Entity Statement was filed in the parent application Serial No. 09/242,191 which parent application was filed on May 17, 1999 and this status is still proper and its benefit under 37 CFR 1.28(a) is hereby claimed.

Filing fee calculation (50% of above) \$ 370.00

**VI. Fee Payment Being Made At This Time**

Attached

- ☒ filing fee \$ 370.00
- ☐ recording assignment (\$40.00; 37 CFR 1.21(h))  
See item XIII below \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ petition fee for filing by other than all the inventors or person not the inventor where  
inventor refused to sign or cannot be reached (\$130.00; 37 CFR 1.47 and 1.17(i)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ processing and retention fee (\$130.00; 37 CFR  
1.53(f) and 1.21(l)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total fees enclosed** \$ 370.00

**VII. Method of Payment of Fees**

- ☒ attached is check in the amount of \$ 370.00
- ☐ charge Account No. 500573 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ A duplicate of this request is attached.
- ☐ No fee is being paid at this time.

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**VIII. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees which may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application by Account No. 50-0573.
- ☒ 37 CFR 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)
- ☒ 37 CFR 1.16(b), (c) and (d) (presentation of extra claims)
- ☐ 37 CFR 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)
- ☐ 37 CFR 1.17 (application processing fees)

- ☐ 37 CFR 1.18 (issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b)).

### IX. Instructions as to Overpayment

- ☒ credit Account No. 50-0573
- ☐ refund

### X. Priority - 35 U.S.C. 119

- ☒ Priority of application Serial No. 96/10288 filed on August 13, 1996 in France is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

### XI. Power of Attorney

The power of attorney in the prior application is to Arthur H. Seidel, Reg. No. 15,979; Gregory J. Lavorgna, Reg. No. 30,469; Daniel A. Monaco, Reg. No. 30,480; Thomas J. Durling, Reg. No. 31,349; John J. Marshall, Reg. No. 29,671; Joseph R. DelMaster, Jr., Reg. No. 38,123

- a. ☐ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. ☒ The power does not appear in the original papers, but was filed on May 17, 1999.
- c. ☐ A new power has been executed and is attached.

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### XII. Maintenance of Copendency of Prior Application

*(This item must be completed and the necessary papers filed in the prior application if the period set in the prior application has run out)*

- ☒ A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until October 5, 2001.

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